MASTERS IN ANTHROPOLOGY (MAAN)

Term-End Examination December, 2023

MANE-005: ENVIRONMENTAL ANTHROPOLOGY

Time: 3 Hours Maximum Marks: 100

Note: (i) Attempt five questions in all.

- (ii) Attempt at least **two** questions from each Section.
- (iii) All questions carry equal marks.
- (iv) The word limit for 20 marks question is 500 words and for 10 marks question it is 250 words.

Section—A

1. Discuss the development of ecological perspective in anthropology. 20

- 2. Discuss the relationship between primate behaviour and social structure. 20
- 3. Discuss the theories used in the study of environmental anthropology.
- 4. Provide a historical background of the idea of ecosystem in anthropology. 20
- 5. Write short notes on any two of the following:

10 + 10

- (a) Definition and scope of environmental anthropology
- (b) Ecological succession
- (c) Heat and cold stress
- (d) Current trends in environmental anthropology

Section—B

- 6. Examine the concept of common property resources and sustainable development from the perspective of anthropology.
- 7. Assess the inter-linkages between ecology, society and development with reference to arid and semi-arid regions.

- 8. Evaluate the concerns related to displacement and rehabilitation with special reference to tribals in India.
- Discuss environmental movements in India with special reference to two movements of your choice.
- 10. Write short notes on any two of the following:

10 + 10

- (a) Eco-feminism and environment
- (b) Post-colonial forest policies in India
- (c) Application of indigenous knowledge in biodiversity conservation
- (d) Anthropological actions in dealing with climate change